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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shotaro UCHIDA

SERIAL NO: 09/891,316

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FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
MANUFACTURED THEREBY

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

## Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

## Previously Submitted:

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- ☐ Amendment/Reply  
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